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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Malcolm Tom MCKECHNIE
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Examiner: Lorna DOUYON
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Title: ARTICLE AND METHOD

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24 July 2011

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

This paper is responsive to the Office Action 23 Mar 2011.

This paper incorporates a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time in order to permit for the timely filing of this response. The applicant notes that this response is being filed on a Sunday, the next normal day of business in the District of Columbia being Monday, 25 Jul 2011. Thus this paper and the enclosure thereto is believed to be timely filed within the one month extended response due term.

This paper is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination.

Kindly enter the indicated amendments to the claims and consider the accompanying remarks.